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WHARF STREET,
19th November, 1872. no20

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Department of Marine and Fisheries

THE SUBJOINED NOTICE IS HEREWITH published for general information.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 2nd, 1872.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

[No. 82.]

United States.—Pacific Coast.—Territory of Washington.

FOG SIGNAL at CAPE FLATTERY LIGHTHOUSE.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT has given Notice, that a Steam Fog Whistle has been established at Cape Flattery Lighthouse, on Tatoosh Island, entrance of Juan de Fuca Strait. On and after the 1st day of November, 1872, during thick and foggy weather, it will be sounded at intervals Fifty-Two Seconds; each blast being of Eight Seconds duration.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty,
London, 23rd Sept., 1872. de3 1m

Notices.

NOTICE TO JURORS.

COMMON JURORS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the Court of Assize stands adjourned until **Wednesday the 11th day of December, at 10 a.m.**, until which time their attendance is not required.

A. C. ELLIOTT,
no30 High Sheriff.

THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS

WILL BE OPENED FOR THE TRANSACtion of business on MONDAY next the **2nd December**, at the following places, viz:

VICTORIA, (opp. the Scotch House. Fort street.)
NANAIMO;
NEW WESTMINSTER.

Bank Hours. 10 to 3 o'clock. Saturdays, 10 to 12 o'clock. By order,

JOHN GRAHAM,
Asst. Rec. Gen.

VICTORIA. Nov. 25th, 1872. no26

Notice of Partnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED into Copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the business of Hotelkeeping at the OLD STAND known as the

CLINTON HOTEL,

And would solicit a continuance of public patronage.

MRS E. SMITH,
THOS. SPELMAN.

CLINTON, Nov. 18th, 1872. no28 dw

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE ESTate of the late JOSEPH L. SMITH are requested to make immediate payment. All bills remaining unpaid on the **First January, 1873**, will be placed in court for collection. And all parties having claims against the estate will please send them to the undersigned for payment.

MRS. E. SMITH,
Administrator.

CLINTON, Nov. 18th, 1872. no28 dw

SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD.

I, AUGUSTUS ERNEST SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD (formerly called Augustus Ernest Siffken) of Lima, Peru, formerly of Snaresbrook Essex, do hereby publish and declare that, in deference to the wish expressed in the will of my uncle, Augustus Ernest Louis, Baron de Wiederhold, General of Brigade in the Portuguese Army and Commander-in-Chief of the Staff of the Army of Portugal, who died at Lisbon in June, 1869, and in grateful respect to his memory, I have ASSUMED the surname of DE WIEDERHOLD in addition to my own family name of SIFFKEN and intend henceforth to USE the surname of SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD in lieu of Siffken.

A. E. SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD.

VICTORIA, V.I., 28th Nov., 1872. no29

NOTICE.

URIAH NELSON IS PREPARED TO UNdertake the prompt forwarding of Freight from Yale to Cariboo, and will have teams in readiness to transport Merchandise from Quesnelmouth to William Creek.

☞He will not hold himself responsible for damage to Oils or Liquids shipped in tin or glass or for unavoidable detention caused by breakage of bridges, roadsides, or loss or damage of goods through any other contingency beyond his control, unless by special contract made in writing in respect of such goods at the time of shipment.

my18 URIAH NELSON

BAVARIA BREWERY.

NOTICE.—ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO the late firm of **Lundblad & Petersen** are requested to make payment on or before the 15th December. And all parties to whom they owe money will please send in their accounts for payment to the undersigned at the Brewery. P. PETERSEN.

All Bills unsettled by the 15th December will be put into Court for Collection.

Nov. 29, 1872. no30

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept **Coin for Rent**, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

jy30 Ld. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. au4

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AT VICTORIA, V. I.,

A Large Assortment of

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CONSISTING OF

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SOLD VERY CHEAP!!

As our Stock of all kinds of Clothing is very Large.

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Baker and Grocer,

Corner of Douglas and Pandora streets.

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FURS, HIDES,

WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,

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te29 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf street

Notices.

NOTICE.

House of Assembly, 2d Aug., 1872.

Extract from Rules relative to Private Bills.

50. All applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferr; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the right or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act, — shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows, viz:—

A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette, and in one newspaper published in the district affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

☞Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the petition.☜

51. Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed in the preceding Rule, also at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts or vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

CHARLES GOOD,
se4dw Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

MAIL CONTRACTS

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE POSTmaster General, Victoria, and marked "Tender for Mail Service," will be received at Victoria up to 12 o'clock noon on **FRIDAY the 6th day of December**, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails in British Columbia between the following places for the Term of **FOUR YEARS from the 1st of April next:**

BARKERVILLE AND HARVEY CREEK;
BARKERVILLE AND YALE;
BURRARD INLET AND NEW WESTMINSTER
CACHE CREEK AND OKANAGAN; and
OKANAGAN AND OKANAGAN MISSION;
CLINTON AND DOG CREEK;
CLINTON AND LILLOOET
ESQUIMALT AND VICTORIA;
HOPE AND KOOTENAY;
LYTTON AND NICOLA LAKE;
METCHOSEN AND VICTORIA
OMINECA AND QUESNELLE;
SAANICH AND VICTORIA;
SOOKE AND VICTORIA;

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Guarantee signed by two responsible parties, undertaking that in the event of the Tender being accepted the service shall be performed by the party tendering for the price demanded.

Particulars in regard to the Service and amount of security required, together with printed forms of Tender and Guarantee, may be obtained at the Offices at the termini of each Route, or at the Post Offices at Victoria and New Westminster.

JOHN DEWE,
Chief P. O. Inspector.

VICTORIA, B. C., 1st September, 1872. se7 dwtd

DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT under authority of Act 34 Vict., chap, 6, of the Parliament of Canada, Dominion Government Savings Banks will be opened on the 2nd December next at the undermentioned places in the Province of British Columbia and in charge of the following officers;

JOHN GRAHAM, Esq., Assistant Receiver General, Manager at Head Office, Victoria;
F. G. CLAUDET, Esq., Acting Agent of Branch at New Westminster.
JAS. HARVEY, Esq., Acting Agent of Branch at Nanaimo

Until further notice Deposits will be received at the abovementioned Savings Banks in sums of not less than One Dollar and multiples of a dollar. All Deposits will bear interest from date of deposit to date of withdrawal at the rate of Five per cent. per annum, the interest accrued to 30th June being added to principal on that date every year.

Moneys can be withdrawn, without notice, to the extent of $100, but for any sum in excess of that amount seven days' notice must be given by Depositors.

As all Savings Banks established under the Colonial Ordinances will be closed on the 30th November next, it has been arranged that the cheques of the Provincial Treasurer in liquidation of Colonial Savings Bank liabilities shall be received in the Dominion Savings Banks and bear interest from that date if deposited before the 1st January next. By order,

THOMAS D. TIMS,
Financial Inspector.

FINANCE DEPART'T OF CANADA,
Victoria, 18th October, 1872 oc19 tjan7

"The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages' Act, 1872."

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that from and after the First day of September next, all Births, Deaths and Marriages within the Province of British Columbia are to be Registered under the Provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," at the office of the District Registrar of the district wherein the same respectively shall take place, and within the times following, that is to say;

BIRTHS—Within 60 days from the date thereof.
DEATHS—Within 30 days after interment.
MARRIAGES—Within 30 days from the date thereof.

Every Householder, Head of a Family, Clergyman, Physician, or other person or persons, required by the said Act to report Births, Deaths and Marriages, who refuses, or wilfully neglects to do so within the times named, will be liable to a penalty for each and every offence of not less than Five Dollars or more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered with costs before any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the locality where any such offence is committed against the said Act. By Command,

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, Registrar General.
27th Aug, 1872. au28

Notice.

SWANSON, Deceased.

THE EXECUTORS, MESSRS. W. A. ELLIOTT, and J. Judson Young, request that all claims against the estate may be delivered, and all debts due to the estate may be paid, to the undersigned.

The commodious residence lately occupied by Capt. Swanson is to let. For particulars apply to

J ROLAND HETT,
no12 Solicitor, Bastion street.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE HASTINGS SAW Mill Company and of Dickson, Campbell & Company, will be conducted in future by J. A. RAYMUR; or in his absence by EDMUND HURD, at Messrs Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, Store street, Victoria.

Nov. 26th, 1872. J. A. RAYMUR, Agent.
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Boots and Shoes.

VICTORIA

BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY

GOVERNMENT STREET, next to the Postoffice.

W. HEATHORN,

NOT BEING AN EXHIBITOR AT THE late Fair [from press of business], but feeling perfectly safe in the hands of a discriminating public, who have adjudged his manufactures First Prize, returns thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received and would inform his customers that he is constantly improving in the Style and Quality of his manufactures, having just received from England one of **Pearson's Celebrated Lock Stitch Wax Thread Sewing Machines**, being the only one in the Province.

☞Boots and Shoes made to measure. Leather and Findings for Sale. oct3

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Tanners and Curriers,

MANUFACTURERS OF

BOOTS, SHOES AND MILL BELTING.

BELMONT, Esquimalt District.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.—Agents at Victoria

WE HAVE COMMISSIONED MESSRS WM DALBY & CO. to purchase Hides and Skins on our account.

au10 1m SWITZER & CO.

R. MAYNARD,

Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.

Just Received Per PACIFIC,

SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS

IN GREAT VARIETY,

Uppers of every Description and Quality

READY FOR BOTTOMING.

BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER.

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T. ALLSOP & CO.,
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Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near Corner of Broughton.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; to negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. jy14

COFFEE.

IN RECOMMENDING MY COFFEE TO THE public, I beg to state that what has been known for the last 8 years as Fell & Co's Best Coffee was entirely prepared by me, so that from my experience in that branch I can supply an article not to be surpassed on the Pacific Coast.

My arrangements will be finished in a few days, when orders from Town or Country will be promptly filled.

no26 J. FINLAYSON.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS,

FAMILY

BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

☞Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.☜

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Is the great remedy for

Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;

IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE BLADDER.

And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.

Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.

N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA, and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves and Belts.

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TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 10TH, 1872.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Dominion Mail Summary.

[Dates of the 23d November.]

Quebec has abolished dual Representation by a vote of 34 to 25. Mr. MARCHAND, in moving the second reading of his measure for the abolition of Dual Representation, reiterated in concise language the many forcible arguments and politic reasons which have already been advanced in Quebec and other Provinces of the Dominion for the suppression of that noxious system. He adverted to the exceptional position of Quebec in maintaining it when all the other Provinces had ablished it. Of 65 members returned to this House, only 15 had double seats. He ironically expressed a hope that the Government would not, as usual, make the question one of non confidence.

Mr. Bellrose thought it was no argument to say that Quebec should abolish the system because the other Provinces had done so.

Hon. Mr. Chauveau had been opposed to abolition during the first Parliament, and he still was opposed to it, believing the system necessary in a country like this, where public men were not over plentiful. Before the last local elections he had opposed it, desiring to have the verdict of the people on the subject, and last session he followed the same course, as they were then on the eve of a Federal election. While intending to vote for the amendment he would say that the Government intended to leave the question open, and let the House decide as it thought best. It was true Ontario, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia had abolished the system, as also,—he had forgotten, he said—the Provinces of Manitoba and British Columbia.

Mr. Marchand—You forget; the parishes of Manitoba and British Columbia, you mean. (Laughter.)

Mr. Chauveau thought the hon. member was somewhat too sarcastic.

Mr. Malhiot argued in favor of the maintenance of the system. He regarded abolition as a further restriction upon the free choice of the electors. He thought the House had as much right to declare members of a powerful corporation, such as that of Montreal, which had exercised powerful influence in securing the triumph of one party over another in that city at the late election, ineligible for election, as to prevent members of this Legislature from holding seats at Ottawa. (Hear, hear.)

The amendment for six months' hoist was then put and lost, the votes being 25 to 34, and the Bill read a second time on the same division.

OTTAWA, Nov. 22—Sir John A. Macdonald and the Hon. Mr. O'Connor arrived from the west this morning.

Mr. Nathan, M. P., leaves to-morrow for England.

We learn from the Halifax "Citizen" that at the earnest recommendation of Sir Hastings Doyle, the Dominion Government have consented to place at the entrance to Halifax harbor an iron light ship with a powerful fog whistle on board.

A deputation on the part of the St. Andrew's Society waited upon the Governor General last evening with an invitation to His Excellency to attend the Society's ball. Lord Dufferin declined with regret as he would be unable to be present in the city at the time of its occurrence.

Lord Dufferin has sent a contribution of $1,000 in gold to the Citizens' Relief Fund of Boston, which now amounts to $72,000.

Mr. Thomas Archibald, a native of Nova Scotia, has been appointed a Baron of the English Court of Exchequer.

Mr. Yates, the novelist, and Mr. Pepper, of the Polytechnic, have both been engaged by the University Literary Society of Montreal, to delever a course of lectures in that city.

The Toronto "Globe" of the 22d ult., says:—The picturesque little church of St, Paul's, Bloor-st., was yesterday morning the scene of a fashionable wedding, the high-contracting parties being Mr. Thos. Beckett, of Quebec, and Miss Naomi, second daughter of the Hon. D. L. Macpherson, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Bishop of Toronto, assisted by the incumbent of St. Paul's, Rev. S. Givins. The bridesmaids, six in number, were Miss Macpherson, sister of the bride, Miss Hamilton, Miss C. Seymour, Miss Robinson, Miss Dyckman, and Miss Darling. The groomsmen were Messrs. Price, of Quebec, W. M. Macpherson, C. S. Gzowski, jun., Walter Cassels, D. H. Macpherson and Ernest Stuart.

English Mail Summary.

[DATES TO NOV. 9.]

Admiral Sir Sydney Dacres has accepted the appointment of Visitor and Governor of Greenwich Hospital.

Serjeant Sleigh will defend the "claimant" in his coming trial for perjury---the time for which, on account of the inconvenience it may occasion to ordinary business, had not been definitely fixed.

Miss Constance Rothschild, the eldest daughter of Baron Meyer de Rothschild, is soon to be married to the Hon. Mr. York, son of the Earl of Hardwicke, and brother to Lord Royston.

M. Wolowski, who last year brought forward the proposition to establish a card-post in France, is about to resume the attempt, on the ground that experience in England, Russia, Belgium, etc., has shown that far from injuring the post-office revenues, it augments them.

A dispatch from Calcutta states that the cholera, from its outbreak in Bengal this season to the 25th of October, had cerried off betwenn 500 and 600 victims, out of between 800 and 900 cases, among European soldiers and their families; and that the disease still lingered, though the seveity of its ravages had relaxed.

At Arthington, north of Leeds, a coal wagon, which had got on the main line from a siding, threw a passenger train off the rails; the engine dashed against a house close at hane, killing on the spot its tenant, a watcher, seriously injuring his wife and son, and, by the shock, inflicting also severe injuries on stoker, guard, and a number of passengers. At Victoria Station, Manchester, a goods train came into violent collision, at a crossing and much damage was done to rolling stock; the passenger carriages were fortunately empty.

Amid imposing signs of respect and sorrow, the remains of Mr. Maguire, late M, P. for Cork, were borne to their burial in the Mathew Cemetery near that city. Business was altogether suspended; a high mass for the dead was solemnized in St. Peter's Church in the presence of 3 Bishops and 200 clergymen, and all the public bodies, the trades' associations, the constabulary, charitable associations, school children, &c., formed a procession numbering many thousands, which with difficulty found its way through the densely crowded streets.

By a large majority of both clergy and laity, the Dublin Synod has passed a resolution in favor of the revision of the Prayer-book.

A final report has been issued of the Prince Consort Memorial Fund, started at the Mansion House during the Mayoralty of the late Mr. Alderman Cubitt, in 1862. It appeared that the total sum subscribed was £56,765. Her Majesty in acknowledging the receipt of this report through Sir Thos. Biddulph, has expressed to the honorary secretaries of the fund, and through them "to all concerned in a work weich Her Majesty has watched with affectionate interest, her grateful thanks."

A somewhat ghastly joke had been the occasion of a suit in Preston County Court. A man named Pearson went to an undertaker's shop, laid himself out as if dead, to be measured and ordered a coffin to fit. On a subsequent visit Pearson saw the coffin, pronounced it good and suggested that locks should be fitted instead of hinges; then a plate was put on lacking nothing but the date of the death. The coffin was taken home, preceded by a band and followed by a crowd; Mrs Pearson refusing it admittance, the doors were broken open and the coffin thrust through. The joiner sued for the cost of the coffin and the Judge decided in his favor.

NEW WINTER GOODS.—A. B. Gray has received by last steamer the first of a series of shipments of new goods selected for the present season. Attention is directed to his large stock of Winceys, French Merinos, Alpacas, Dress Stuffs, Waterproof and other Tweeds, Black Silk Mantle Velvets, Velveteens, Colored Japanese Silks, Black Silks, Shawls, Jackets, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk, Alpaca and Cotton Umbrellas, Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, &c., &c. Prices Right!!—Government street.

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A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the COLONIST OFFICE, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

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New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

French Benevolent Society.

DR. POWELL HAVING RESIGNED AS Physician of the French Benevolent Society, members are informed that DR. ASH has been appointed his successor, and may be found at his residence, Fort street, from 9 to 12 a.m., and from 7 to 9 p.m. for free consultation. By order of the Committee,
de10 M. CAMSUSA, Secretary.

X. M. S.

J. FINLAYSON,

Government street,

Has received a choice supply of

CHRISTMAS GOODS,

Comprising

Muscatel, Sultana and Elme Raisins;
Zante Currants (superior quality);
Candied Peel;
Turkey Figs,
French Plums,
Crystalized Dessert Fruits,
Orange, Lemon, Vanilla, Madeira, Noyeau and Punch Jellies,
Flavoring Extracts and Spices,
Jordan Almonds,
Bitter Almonds,
Shell Almonds and
Nuts of every description,
Prime Eastern Cheese,
Best brands of Teas and Sugars.

As for MY COFFEE, it speaks for itself. Everybody asks for it.

de10 J. FINLAYSON.

T. SMITH,

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has re-opened the well known

Boomerang Inn,

LANGLEY ALLEY.

The Boomerang Inn has been thoroughly refurnished and fitted up at a great expense by Mr. Smith, and he hopes that by strict attention to business, and his utmost endeavors to accommodate the public, he may merit a continuance of that patronage which was always accorded his predecessor.

THE BEST QUALITY OF

WINES & LIQUORS,

AND THE

Finest Brands of CIGARS,

Will always be on hand at the BAR. de10

B. X.

AT THE

HEAD of the POLL.

—o—

BARNARD'S EXPRESS

The Regular Express for Cariboo will close on TUESDAY Evening and leave per "Enterprise" on WEDNESDAY. A Cariboo Express may be expected on Thursday Evening.

F. J. BARNARD & CO.
de8

New Advertisements.

RAFFLE.

Ten Pairs of Fat Geese

Will be Raffled at the

North Pacific Saloon,

On Christmas Eve., at 8 o'clock.

de8 HENRY A. DENOBREGA.

EX PRINCESS ROYAL.

Confectionery—In ½ and ¼ lb. bottles and 7 lb tins,
Lozenges and Drops of different kinds
Comfits, Sugar Almonds,
Barley Sugar, Mixed Confectionery,
Jujubes, Gum Pastilles,
Licorice, Motto Nuts,
Motto Drops, Bon Bons,
Cassques, Magic Flowers, &c.,
Candied Peel in bottles and 7-lb tins,
Nuts—Almonds and Barcelona,
Perfumes and Pomades—Assorted,
Paper Bags—For Confectioners' and Grocers' use.

FOR SALE BY

RICHARD CARR,

no28 Wharf Street.

At the MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE,

Under Odd Fellows' Hall,

A RAFFLE WILL TAKE PLACE ON XMAS EVE, for

Turkies, Geese, Sucking Pigs, Hams, Wines and Spirits, and a Silver Lever Watch.

ALSO—A Beautiful Japanese Cabinet.

At 9 p. m., Come and See It.

☞ The best of Wines and Liquors for the Holidays

de5 H. FORMAN, proprietor.

Economy

BEING THE ORDER OF THE DAY,

THE SAME MAY BE SUCCESSFULLY practised during the Holidays by Purchasing

TOYS AND XMAS PRESENTS

—AT—

GORRIE'S

FORT STREET BAZAAR.

A Splendid Assortment of

New Toys & Fancy Goods

To hand direct from England and for Sale

At GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

A Grand

CHRISTMAS TREE

in Preparation to be Raffled; due notice will be given.

de7

W. ASCHENHEIM,

Commission Merchant,

AND DEALER IN

GAME, POULTRY, FISH

And all kinds of FRUIT in their Season.

Washington Market,

Washington street, between Second and Third,

PORTLAND, Oregon

☞ Consignments respectfully solicited and return promptly made. de6

THE BEST & CHEAPEST

CLOTHING,

BOOTS & SHOES,

FANCY GOODS,

Fancy Trimmings

Will be found at

JOHN QUAGLIOTTI ROMANO'S

GENERAL

Outfitting Store,

Johnson street, Corner Oriental Alley.

de5

Removal.

W. HARRISON

HAS REMOVED HIS

BOOK AND NEWS DEPOT

From FORT Street, to the Store formerly occupied by

C. REDFERN,

Government Street, adjoining Masonic Hall

de5

CHRISTMAS FRUITS

AND

Finest Family Groceries,

COMPRISING

CHOICEST MALAGA RAISINS,
Sultana Raisins, Zante Currants,
Candied Peels, Smyrna Figs, German Prunes
Jordan and Shell Almonds, Walnuts, Hazelnuts,
Flavoring Extracts.

THE FINEST DESCRIPTIONS OF PRESERVED FRUITS.

Cream Tartar, Saleratus and Baking Soda. Crushed (Circle A) Sugar. The choicest Japan, Young Hyson, Congou and other TEAS.

BEST JAVA COFFEE,

Acknowledged superior to any other sold in town.

Clear Lake, Eastern and Homemade Cheese.

My stock is unequaled north of San Francisco. My Prices are very Low, and I invite the Public to inspect the goods before purchasing elsewhere.

A. Rickman,

Corner of Government and Fort Streets.

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New Advertisements.

FOR SALE

—AT—

HEYWOOD'S PORK PACKING

Establishment,

YATES STREET.

FRESH PORK SAUSAGE,	SPARERIBS cut out to order,
LIVER do	TENDER LOINS,
BLOOD PUDDINGS,	PICKLED PORK—Very Choice,
BOLOGNAS of all kinds,	FRESH LEAF LARD,
HEAD CHEESE and BRAWN,	NEW HAMS and BACON.

The Celebrated Melton Mowbray Pork Pies made to order. de5

CHRISTMAS

AND

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

Cheaper than Ever

—AT—

THE LONDON BAZAAR!

GOVERNMENT STREET, corner of Fort,

IMMENSE VARIETY!

UNEQUALLED on the PACIFIC COAST.

Amongst which will be found many Choice and Rare Articles, Just Received

EX "NAWORTH" AND "PRINCESS ROYAL."

W. JONES respectfully invites the Public to call and inspect his Stock and note Prices, which are greatly reduced owing to his having to visit Europe early in the New Year on important business, he has determined to reduce his immense stock, which consists of

TOYS, OF ALL KINDS, FANCY GOODS,

Including Electro plated-ware, Glassware, Willow-ware, Cutlery, Stationery, Perfumery (1st quality) Jewelry, Books, Pictures, Paintings, &c. and Notions without end. A Large Assortment of Whitby Jet and Vulcanite Brooches, Earrings, Chains, Necklets, Lockets, and Bracelets. de4

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 9:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster	Thursday 3 P. M.	Tuesday, 5:30 P.M.
Cariboo and Intermediate Offices	Thursday, Dec. 12, at 3 P.M. & every alternate Thursday	Tuesday, Dec. 10, 5:30 PM & every alternate Tuesday
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A. M.	Wednesday, 10 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.
San Juan (English Camp)	Weekly, no specified time.	Weekly, no specified time.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. oc1

NUTS TO CRACK!

FELL & CO.

Sell only such as have been grown in 1872

Brazil Nuts	1872
Hazel & Barcelona Nuts	1872
Almonds	1872
Walnuts	1872
Peanuts	1872
Cocoanuts	1872

New Fruits!

FELL & CO. have received the first parcel of the finest TURKEY FIGS, 1872.
ALSO—New Sultana Raisins.

FELL & CO.

Have one of the best assorted stocks of Fruit, including the nicest

LAYER MUSCATEL RAISINS,

(Not in small boxes, as those are generally of inferior quality

Currants—The BEST on the Coast.

Elme Raisins—The BEST for Mince Pies and sold CHEAP,

Fancy Bon Bons!

In great variety, consisting of Masquerades, Fans, Scents, Mottoes, &c.

Confectionary!

Of the purest description—guaranteed free from any mixture of plaster of Paris, which is generally found in cheap candy.

Orange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams,

Sold ONLY by us and a great delicacy, Also, JELLIES in great variety.

FELL & CO.

Have always on hand the best assortment of CHEESE—such as will suit the taste of the most fastidious.

SPICES of every description ground and prepared by ourselves and warranted pure.

And last, but not least,

FELL'S CELEBRATED

COFFEE

Which is drank by every one in the Province who knows anything about a good cup of that beverage. Beware of would-be IMITATORS, who, not satisfied with imitating our packages, even Copy our Advertisements!

Come along with your CASH! and you will find that FELL & CO. are not undersold by any establishment in this city, and that they deliver all goods bought of them at your houses free of charge.

FORT STREET,

Victoria, Dec. 4th, 1872. de5

Wrapping Paper.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF OLD NEWSpapers for sale at THE COLONIST OFFICE

FOR THE HOLIDAYS

F. Grelley

OFFERS TO HIS NUMEROUS CUSTOMers ex recent arrivals, the largest and best assorted Stock of

WINES AND LIQUORS.

CHAMPAGNES:

Napoleon Cabinet;
Bouche;
Special Cuvee
Eugene Cliquet;
Tacktas;
Grape Leaves;
Sparkling Moselle;

WINES.

Sherry and Ports, Preller, Macau, Sauterne, Petites Graves, Chambertin, St George's, Nuits, Medoc, St. Laubey, Bourgogne, Mousseaux, Hock Wine.

LIQUEURS.

Curacoa;
Mareschino;
Kirsch,
Absynthe;
Vermouth;
Cocktails;
Cordials;
Ginger Wine;
Kummel.

BITTERS.

Hostetter's Bitters;
Boker's Bitters;
Angustura Bitters;
Turner's Stoughton Bitters
Orange Bitters;
Hollan Boonscamp Bitters.

Brandies in cases and bulk; Old Tom; Dunville Whisky; Lochnagar Whisky; Sherry and Port Wine in bulk; Cider in casks; Bourbon Whisky; Rum; Gin in cases; Peppermint; Jamaica Ginger; etc. de4

Department of Marine and Fisheries.

TENDERS ARE INVITED ADDRESSED to the undersigned, and will be received at this office, up to noon of the 21st inst., for the supply of Provisions to the Race Rock Lighthouse and Fraser River Lightship, where Schedule can be seen of Articles to be supplied, and also a copy of the Contract to be signed by the Contractor.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 2nd, 1872.
New Westminster papers copy. de3

BASS' ALE—IN QUARTS.

TENNENT'S ALE—IN QUARTS

BARCLAY'S STOUT PORTER,

In Quarts.

For sale by

SPROAT & CO.

WHARF STREET, 30th Nov. no30

New Advertisements.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

C. E. REDFERN,

Watchmaker and Jeweler,

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE Stock and Business of Mr. E. Watson, will Remove on Dec. 4th to larger and more convenient premises opposite the Theatre on Government street, lately occupied by Mr. D. Spencer where, in addition to his usual stock he will offer for sale

A Fine Assortment of Goods suitable for Xmas and New Year's Presents, to arrive by the next Steamer.

C. R. takes this opportunity of thanking his numerous customers for the kind support he has received during the past nine years, and solicits from them and from those who were formerly customers of Mr. E. Watson a continuance of the same, assuring them that it will be his constant endeavor to give satisfaction in every branch of the business,

Particular attention paid to the Repairing of Chronometers and Fine Watches.

Fairburn's "Crests of the Families of Great Britain and Ireland" for the use of those who may desire to have seals or crests engraved. no30

STRAYED,

FROM STRAWBERRY VALE FARM TWO HEIFERS and ONE COW of the following description:

Cow with Bell—Coffee brown with white back and belly; dark brown head with a little white spot; both ears cut and split; old brand AO on the left backside.

Heifer with Bell—All red, no white, both ears cut and split. Old brand JC on the right shoulder.

Heifer—Color red with white belly and white hind feet; a big white star on the forehead; both ears cut and split; old brand JC on the left backside.

New brand of all three, JK.

Any person giving information of the whereabouts of these cattle will be suitably rewarded by

JOHN KRIEMLER,
de4 dw Cormorant street.

St. Nicholas Hotel,

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

HAVING LEASED THE ABOVE ESTABlishment I shall conduct it as a

FIRST-CLASS HOTEL,

Particular attention will be paid to

CLEANLINESS AND GOOD ORDER.

Apartments will be let by the Day, Week or Month.

de4 6m J. L. FRANKLIN.

GRAND ARRIVAL!

MY EXPRESS WAGGON can be found at all hours of the day.

GIVE ME A CALL!

no19 H. McKENZIE, Expressman.

THE SITTING OF THE COURT OF PETTY Sessions, adjourned till to-day, is further postponed until Thursday next, 12th inst., at 12 o'clock.

H. B. GOOD,
de5 Clerk of the Bench.

FARMER'S CLUB.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Club for the Election of Officers for the ensuing year will be held at the rooms of Drake & Jackson, Bastion street, on Saturday the 6th proximo at 1 o'clock, p.m.

no29 dw THOS. RUSSELL, Secty

Choice Butter.

RECEIVED BY THE STEAMER IDAHO. 50 kegs Choice Butter, which we offer for sale CHEAP!

YOUNG & WHITE,

no27 Government street.

Mechanics' Literary Institute.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING WILL be held at the Institute on Thursday the 12th inst., at 8 o'clock, p.m., to consider the question of holding a Lottery, in order to raise funds for purchasing Land and Erecting a Building for the purposes of the Institute. J. ROLAND HETT,

de4 Hon. Secretary.

1873!

POCKET DIARIES

AND

OFFICE JOURNALS,

IN GREAT VARIETY OF STYLES,

For 1873.

no15 T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

NORRIS & WYLLY,

REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENTS.

Accountants and Average Adjusters.

LOANS NEGOTIATED.

Settlements Effected.....Accounts Audited.

Rents and Debts Collected.

GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria,
30th November, 1872. no30

MRS. EIXNER,

DRESSMAKER,

SOLICITS A SHARE OF PUBLIC PATRONage.

TERMS MODERATE.

Residence: Cor. Meares and Quadra sts near the Cemetery. no12

Notice to Farmers.

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE for

50 tons Chevalier Barley;
50 tons Rough Barley.

WHARF STREET, Victoria. J. RUEFF. no28

L. F. Baumann,

Candy Manufacturer,

Yates st. opp. Bank B. N. America.

HAVING JUST PREPARED A CHOICE assortment of fresh

Candy of all Kinds,

am prepared to supply the public by

Wholesale and Retail.

At reasonable rates.

Orders for city and country promptly filled. oct2 2m

Robt Beaven

Government st, cor, Trounce Alley,

IS CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FASHIONable Styles of

Clothing,

Hats, &c.,

Which he offers for sale as usual,

CHEAP! no22

BYASS' PORTER,

IN QUARTS AN PINTS

For sale by

SPROAT & CO.,

SOLE AGENTS for British Columbia.

WHARF STREET, 30th Nov., 1872. no30

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 10TH, 1872.

DEATHS.

Dec. 9th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs Caselton, Humboldt street, Victoria, Mrs Maria Williams, aged 72 years and 3 months, a native of England, the beloved wife of John Williams of North Saanich.

Her funeral will take place on Sunday the 18th inst, at 1½ o'clock p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr North Pacific—L M Starr, Mrs Monastes, C Rodgers, Mrs Kaznur, J Ross, J Fowler, Hurd, Carson, Driggs, A Fowler, Ramsdale, Pinkney, Howard, Hamilton and 25 others

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr North Pacific—Fenton, Reynolds, Stafford, Eastman, Levy.

Tonnage Engaged in our Trade.

	TONS.	MEN.
8 Coasting Steamers.....	1,182	83
3 Inland Steamers.....	452	22
7 Ships from England....	3,868	115
6 to & fm San Francisco..	1,320	60
21 to Australia.....	10,894	279
3 to & from Honolulu....	893	24

The above figures are taken from the Government returns up to 1870. From these we gather that the 21 ships to Australia, representing 10,894 tons and 279 men, are not regular traders! How is this? What will make them so, we ask? What was their freight? They cleared in 1870 and, turning to the exports for that year we find $5,133 worth of rough lumber, pickets and laths taken to New South Wales. Next the sum of $18,312 value of spars and lumber bought by the Colony of Victoria, or over $23,000 worth from that branch alone and to our single country. Commercial men of the right stamp will know what value to place upon these facts and figures. They speak for themselves. The energy and activity of this community should direct its strenuous efforts to the development of this most important and world-wide branch of our trade.

Police Court.

[Before A. F. Pemberton, Esq.]

VICTORIA, Dec. 9, 1872.

James Smith, on remand from the 2nd inst,, was remanded for 3 days.

William Sills, on remand from the 2nd inst., was remanded for 3 days.

Ah Wing, on remand from the 2nd inst., was remanded for two days.

Peter McArthur and Benjamin Evans, on remand from the 2nd inst., were remanded for one week.

Regina vs. James Newman, summons postponed from the 6th inst for selling liquor without a license, was remanded.

Honore Passerard vs. Mrs. Romano, summons for assaulting the complainant on the 5th inst., postponed for two days.

Weekly British Colonist.

A large extra edition of this journal will be worked off this morning. Copies may be had at the bookstores and at the publication office.

LECTURES BY REV. MR. GRANT. — The Halifax "British Colonist" of late date says:—It will be seen by advertisement that the Rev. Geo. M. Grant has consented to deliver a course of four lectures, the subject of which will be "From the Atlantic to the Pacific. The first will be delivered on Tuesday, 19th Nov., for the Young Men's Christian Association Building. Second, on Tuesday; 26th Nov., for the Halifax Industrial School. Third, on Tuesday, 3d Dec., for the new church at Richmond. Fourth, on Tuesday, 10th Dec., for the Medical College. The acknowledged ability of the Rev. gentleman, together with the fact that the information to be imparted was gathered from personal observation and experience, affords a positive guarantee that these lectures will possess a rare and valuable interest."

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.---On Sunday sermons were preached by the Bishop of Columbia, Rev. Mr. Jenns and Dean Cridge. No direct allusion was made to the unfortunate occurrence of last Thursday evening, but an attentive listener could not but observe that the afternoon and evening sermons were decidedly Low Church in their tone. Archdeacon Reece was not present.

OAK VS. COAL.---By a late order of the War Department, at Washington, it is announced that one cord of merchantable oak wood is worth is equivalent to 2,500 lbs. Rocky Mountain coal, or 2,600 lbs. Mount Diable coal, or 2,400 lbs. Seattle or 2,290 lbs. Bellingham Bay coal, or 1,800 lbs. Nanaimo.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Emma, Capt. Lucky, towing the schr Black Diamond, arrived from Nanaimo at 11½ o'clock yesterday morning. She and the Black Diamond were loaded with 131 tons of coal for Messrs Brodrick & Co. She sighted a large ship making for Nanaimo and reports the G. S. Wright off on Saturday for Sitka.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—Among the items in transitu for San Francisco we notice 82 bxs. onions, valued at $238 50; 421 bxs. potatoes, $517 40; 1 bbl. beef, $22. Total, $775 60. Well done, Puget Sound farmers! Not satisfied with feeding Victoria, they are feeling their way to a bigger market, viz., San Francisco! May their example excite emulation in our farmers.

THE celebrated Stanton ruby which was claimed to be worth $250,000 has been pronounced merely a soft garnet, worth probably $100. One person whose name cannot be obtained, made a clean breast of all he knew about the salting process and gave the names of accomplices in the swindle.

THE WORK OF PANTHERS. — Yesterday morning M. Rowland, of Burnside, found 21 of his sheep lying dead. They had all been killed by those Island scourges, panthers. The boys on the farm are on the qui vive and if the destructive brutes try to repeat their operation they will be treated to a dose of cold lead.

MR. NATHAN, M.P., left Ottawa on the 23rd ult. for England.

Washington Territory.

The Seattle "Intelligencer" says that the schooner Walter Raleigh, Capt. Hanson, which sailed from Freeport about the 4th of November last, has not been heard from since. In consequence of there not being any report from San Francisco of her arrival at that port, there are surmises that she may have been lost. She was loaded with 350,000 feet of lumber.

A man has been arrested at Port Townsend on suspicion of having committed a murder at or near Jimmicum in Jefferson County several years ago. The skeleton of the murdered man was not found for several years after he was missed; being then identified by the boots and portions of clothing.

At Olympia (the "Courier" says) a pair of horses attached to a carriage in which were two ladies and two gentleman, ran away, dragging the gentlemen over the dashboard and inflicting severe bruises. The ladies were unhurt. The animals next ran into the carriage of Gen. McKenny and wife, who were thrown out and badly hurt.

THE SURVEYOR-GENERALSHIX.—This office is again going abegging. Mr. Dowdney, M.P. elect for Yale, who at first accepted the post, has resigned it, and will wisely go to Ottawa, in compliance with the wishes of his constituents. Mr. Dewdney makes the third gentleman who has declined to accept the position within as many months. A local paper intimates that another attempt will be made by the Government to get Mr. Hunter, M. P. P. for Cariboo, out of the way before the meeting of the House by again tendering him the position. Should he accept (of which we entertain no fear) Cariboo would lose a Member during the entire session.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—The following elected officers were installed last evening: I. W. Powell, R. W. Grand Master; J. A. Grahame, Deputy Grand Master; Simeon Duck, Senior Grand Warden; Capt. Clarke, Junior Grand Warden; Rev. J. B. Gribbell, Grand Chaplain; M. W. Waitt, Grand Treasurer; P. G. Hall, Grand Tyler. Mr. H. F. Heisterman, who was re-appointed Grand Secretary, was presented with a handsome and valuable gold watch on behalf of the members of the Grand Lodge as a mark of appreciation of his valuable service.

THE Birmingham "News" (England,) of the 1st inst., announces that there are no hopes of a satisfactory or speedy settlement of the dispute between the farmers and agricultural laborers of the midland counties, and that a project is on foot, which is supported by a number of influential gentlemen, friends of the agricultural laborers, for sending half a million of the laborers out of the country. The emigrants will be sent chiefly to New Zealand, Queensland and South America.

THE Duke of Edinburgh (Prince Alfred) has, it is said, been strongly pressed to accept the rank of Admiral, but he has firmly declined to take a flag until he has had some experience in command of an ironclad ship. It is rumored that, in accordance with his desire, he will be appointed to the command of the Sultan iron-clad.

CAUTION. --- Three boys of tender age were brought before the Police Magistrate yesterday upon charges of entering unoccupied houses and destroying the wallpaper. The little fellows were severely reprimanded and were discharged on payment of the costs by their parents.

GOOD FOR QUEBEC. — Quebec, by a thumping majority has abolished Dual Representation. There only remains British Columbia to tolerate the iniquity—for its practice is nothing short of an iniquity.

A "BATTUE" REQUIRED.—A few crack shots could find excellent sport and render essential service to the farmers in the vicinity of this city by arranging to have a day's wolf hunting at Rowland's farm, about 4 miles from town.

FRENCH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.---Dr. Ash has been appointed by the Committee of the above institution Consulting Physician, vice Dr. Powell, resigned.

EAST COAST,—Mr. M. Smith, Mr. C. E. Anderson and Mr. J. McLennan will leave here to-day in the Sir James Douglas to inspect the work of the Bute Inlet parties and bring them back to Victoria.

THE following gentlemen are to be the new Judges in England, vice Barons Martin, Channell, and Justice Byles, namely, Sir George Honeyman, Mr. Manistry and Mr. Archibald.

THE steamer North Pacific, from Olympia and way ports, arrived yesterday with a small cargo, a mail, Wells-Fargo's Express and 45 passengers.

IDAHO'S PASSENGERS.—The passenger list of the Royal Mail Steamship Idaho will be fouud among the telegraphic items.

H. M. S. PETEREL has discharged her guns and ammunition and will go on the beach at Nsnaimo for repairs.

A SMALL EASTERN MAIL was brought over by the steamer North Pacific yesterday.

NOTICE.—I take great pleasure in informing Mr. E. Watson's former customers, particularly the officers of H. M. Fleet, that I have done all his watch and chronometer work for the past four years. As he has left this country I beg to solicit the patronage of his former customers. All watch and fine clock work done for him by me under one year, I guarantee. Attention paid to letter and seal engraving at moderate prices. — G. W. A. LANGE, Yates street.

FELL & Co., General Grocers, have for sale the greatest variety of Nuts, Fruits, Bon-Bons and Confections for Christmas of any establishment in the city, which will be sold cheap.

Ritualism.

EDITOR COLONIST,—However widely people may differ from the Ven. Archdeacon Reece on the subject of Ritualism, few there are but must admit with him, that the Episcopal Church stands very much in need of the converting grace of God among both Ministers and people. As to how that object can best be accomplished, I feel disposed to join issue with the learned Archdeacon. He would accomplish it by an outward observance of forms and ceremonies, that appeal to the senses but affect not the heart. The Adoration of the Host, the doctrine of the Real Presence, the burning of incense, altar lights, crucifixes, and all the paraphernalia connected with the Ritualism of the High Church party among the Episcopalians, may do very well for those who know nothing about experimental religion, and are content to be fed upon husks instead of the pure spiritual manna of Christ's gospel; but it is impossible that such practices can ever satisfy a soul under conviction of sin, and "hungering and thirsting after righteousness." Ritualism, instead of being an evidence of a revival of religion in the Church, proves the very opposite. It is because the Church is spiritually dead that Ministers and people are leaving "the first principles" of that faith which "was once delivered unto the Saints," and running after the idolatrous mummeries of the "Man of Sin." Is it any wonder that there be strifes and divisions in the Church when a very large proportion of its ministry ridicule the idea that a man can KNOW his sins forgiven, who themselves are utter strangers to the converting grace of God, whose only claim to Christian character consists in having been ordained to a work to which God never called them? Among the priesthood of the Episcopal Church there are many men, eminent for their piety, in every way worthy of their high vocation—who are the salt of the earth and the life of the Church—but these are not the men who figure in the ranks of the Ritualists. Of such it may be said, "They have all gone out of the way, they are together become unprofitable; there is none that doeth good, no, not one." If these men would give more attention to the cultivation of Christian godliness in the hearts of those among whom they labor, and less to Ritualistic performances destitute of either converting or sanctifying power, it would be very much better both for the Church and the world. In apostolic times they that feared the Lord spake often to one another—they provoked each other to love and to good works—they ceased not to teach and to preach Jesus Christ, not only in the temple but in private dwellings as well; and if our Ritualistic friends would "go and do likewise," they would find that they had ample scope for their energies without troubling themselves about questions and practices that are without authority from the Alpha to the Omega of the New Testament.

ANTI-RITUALIST.

The Trick of a Prospective Brother-in Law.

[From the Danbury News.]

A rather contemptible trick was played on one of our young clerks Sunday night. He bought a cut-glass bottle of cologne, with a glass stopper and pink ribbon, to present to a young lady he is keeping company with; but on reaching the house he felt a little embarrassed for fear there were members of the family present, so he left the beautiful gift on the stoop and passed in. The movement was perceived by a graceless brother of the young lady who appropriated the cologne to his own use, and refilled the bottle with hartshorn from the family jar, and then hung around to observe the result. In a little while the young man slipped out on the stoop, and securing the splendid gift, slipped back into the parlor, where, with a few appropriate words, he pressed it on the blushing girl. Like a good and faithful daughter as she was, she at once hurried into the presence of her mother, and the old lady was charmed. They didn't put up scent stuff like that when she was a girl, it was kept in a China tea cup, and it was held together by samples of all the family's hair. But she was very much pleased with it. She drew out the stopper, laid the beautiful petals of her nostrils over the aperture, and fetched a pull at the contents that fairly made them bubble. Then she laid the bottle down, and picked up a brass-mounted fire shovel instead, and said she, as soon as she could say anything, "Where is that miserable brat?" And he, all unconscious of what had happened, was in front of the mirror, adjusting his necktie and smiling at himself. And here she found him and said to him: "Oh, you are laughing at the trick on an old woman, are you? you wall-eyed leper!" And then she basted him one on the ear. And he being by nature more eloquent with his legs than his tongue, hastened from there, howling like mad, and accompanied to the gate by that brass-mounted shovel. He says he would give everything on earth if he could shake off the impression that a mistake had been made.

A NEW religious sect has made its appearance in London, called the "Howling Repentants." They howl at all convenient periods during the day, and at two periods during the nights." Their services are conducted in the open air, as they have, as yet no recognized place of worship. The sectarians of this religion find the police to be the most serious obstacle in their devotions.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared on his premises on Government street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

THE undersigned begs to inform his friends and the public that he has just received, ex-Prince Alfred, a fine assortment of fashionable clothing—in addition to his stock.—DAVID GREEN, Government street.

Latest by Telegraph.

THE "COLONIST'S" SPECIAL DISPATCHES.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—The war about the shipping commission goes on. A meeting of American ship-masters was held to-day, at which resolutions were adopted sustaining the course of Commissioner Stevenson, praising the acts of British ship masters, and pledging the members present not to pay either the bounty of $40 on seamen or the allowance of wages, $50, to cover that item.

YREKA, Dec. 7.—George Fiocke, who was reported killed by the Modocs, arrived in town this evening. Fiocke was all through the fight. He saw Mrs. Brotherton who told him she had been alone for two nights, and that her husband and two sons, aged 11 and 22 years of age, where killed while hauling wood. Mrs. Brotherton and two young sons built a barricade in the house of sacks of flour, and the Indians were on horses taken from Mr. Brotherton's teams. Mrs. Brotherton and sons killed three of the Indians and kept the rest away from the house night and day so that they could not burn it.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7---Passengers per Idaho for Victoria:---C. E. Carpenter and wife, S. D. Lecey and wife, Mrs. Evans and child, J. B. Bonter and wife, C. Chadsey, wife and child, Hugh McRoberts and wife, D. F. Fee and two children, F. Drew, L. F. Thompson, Capt. Robertson, Jno. Ernest, Henry Adams, E. Sisson, A. G. Tillinghast, and twenty-two in the steerage

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—President Graham of the Walkill Bank, gave bail and was released to-day.

Rumors on the streets to-day are that several leading bankers and merchants propose to call a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to take measures against merchants and bankers engaged with stock gamblers in locking up money for the purpose of depressing business generally.

S. N. Pike, a well-known merchant formerly of Cincinnati, died suddenly in his office in this city this afternoon, of appoplexy.

Major Hall will assume the editorial chair of the "Herald" on Jan. 1st, as Bennett will shortly leave on a 2 years' European trip.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—Judge Darrell to-day issued a restraining order against Gov. Warmouth, the Clerks of House and Senate, Chief of Police, and others, proventing any interference whatever with the assembling of the Legislature, and forbidding all persons participating as members of said Legislature who have not been returned as members thereof by the Custom House Returning Board, and whose names have not been transmitted by Geo. Boyer, Sec. of State, to the Sec. of Senate and Clerk of the House.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Europe.

LONDON, Dec; 4—6. P. M.—Large portions of the city are in darkness tonight, the gas having been extinguished. Many sections are filled with consternation and dread, and the irritation against the striking stokers is great.

The reported loss of the steamship Dalmatia, with 300 people, is untrue. She arrived at Liverpool safely.

Two thousand more emigrants left Liverpool in Novemberthan in October.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The city is well supplied with gas again.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The gas works of Newport, Montmouthshire, exploded last night, wounding several persons.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Wm. Graham, President of the Walhill National Bank, was held in $20,000 bail, to answer the charge of having, in connection with Horton, Cashier, defrauded the bank of $100,000. Horton it is alleged has absconded.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Rev Henry Ward Beecher's remarks at Greeley's funeral were quite brief. He spoke of the deceased as one who for thirty years had filled the land with controversy, as a man of war yet dying without civic honors, but as one whose memory shall live forever in the annals of his country. To-day all men forget the recent strife and conflict of opinion, and honor him because he was something more than a professional man, he was a man so good and noble that he had few compeers. For thirty years he built for himself no outward monument. To-day between oceans there is not a man who has not felt the effect of the labors of Horace Greeley.

Queen Victoria's Present.

The "Wolverhampton Chronicle" states that during the recent visit of Queen to Dunrobin Castle her Majesty went with the Duke of Sutherland to see some mining operations which the Duke has commenced on his estate. Several colliers from Shropshire, servants of the Lilleshall Company, are employed in the work. While Her Majesty was standing on the bank inspecting the work it commenced to rain. A few yards off a man named Cooper was sawing some timber for the shaft, and, heedless of the rain continued his work without a coat. Presently he was surprised to feel a light touch, and on looking up perceived the duke, who laid a costly rug over his shoulders, at the same time exclaiming, "The Queen requested me to present you with her own rug; you may keep it and wear it." The proof of the story, namely the "rug," is in the possession of the collier.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

Execution in British Columbia.

While not a few in California are complaining that murderers are escaping their deserts, the authorities in British Columbia last week carried out the extreme penalty of the law upon a man named Bell, who had committed a murder, connected with which there were some mitigating circumstances. Bell was married to a half-caste woman, who proved unfaithful during his absence from home, and upon learning of it on his return he started in pursuit of the man who had destroyed his peace, and, coming suddenly upon him, killed him. There were no disputing the facts, and there are many in British Columbia who declare that he was justified in what he did. It may be safely asserted that it would be difficult to find an American jury would convict of the capital offense under such a state of affairs, and no one can deny but that some extenuation should be accorded in such a case. A long controversy took place in the Victoria papers on the subject. A strong effort was made to obtain a commutation of the sentence to imprisonment for life but without avail, and Bell has paid with his life the penalty for his deed. Without reviewing the justice of the sentence which consigned this man to an ignominious death, it is well that our citizens should note that our neighbors do not deal so leniently with those who take life as we on this side of the border line.—S. F. "Bulletin."

A New Reform in India.

There exists in India, among the natives, a strong "reform party" for the promotion of widow marriage. Formerly the widow went to the pile with her husband. When that was abolished by the stern hand of the British law, the plan of "starving" instead of burning, was adopted. The window, young or old, is compelled to wear a certain dress to live in retirement, to eat sparingly, and, in short to make herself as miserable as she can. Against this the "reform party" is waging war; and the success which it is slowly obtaining is an indication of the progress towards Christian civilization which India is making. A marriage of the kind recently occurred, the widow being a young woman; who, after overcoming many obstacles, was married by two Brahmin priests, in the presence of a large number of the reform party. The affair created great excitement, and the priests who performed the ceremony are threatened with excommunication.

A MAN recently broke off a marriage because the lady did not possess good conversational powers. A friend told him he should have married her, and then refused her a new bonnet, to have developed her power of talk.

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A miscellaneous assortment of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Beaver and Pilot Cloths, Clothing, Cottonades, Casimere Cloths, Towels and Bedding, Blankets, Boots and Shoes, Gents' and Boy's Underclothing, Hosiery Notions and a general variety of merchandise of all descriptions.

Consignors please send in goods early. de8

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—OF—

Town Lots

FOR TAXES.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

WHEREAS default has been made in payment of Municipal Taxes due upon the undermentioned Lots or portions of Lots,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will sell, by order of F. G. Claudet, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate, at

PUBLIC AUCTION

—ON—

Saturday, Dec'r 14th, 1872,

AT 12 O'CLOK, NOON,

AT THE HYACK HALL,

The following Lots or Portions of Lots:

	AM'T OF TAX.	TOTAL.
Franklin, L.		
block 15, lot 1.....	9 00	
sub-block 5, lot 55,..	1 50	
costs and expenses..	6 00.....	16 50
Reed, Geo.		
block 9, lot 10.....	1 50	
10, 3.....	1 50	
32, 9.....	1 35	
costs and expenses..	8 00.....	12
Smith, W. B.		
block 24, lot ½13...	1 32	
costs and expenses..	4 00.....	5 32
Woods. C. T.		
block 28, lot 7.....	1 12½	
32, 16.....	1 35	
33, 17.....	1 35	
costs and expenaes..	8 00.....	11 82½

☞ By payment to me of any of the above amounts, together with the costs and expenses, on or before the day of sale, the lots or portions of lots in respect of which such payment is made will be withdrawn from sale.

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Lea & Perrins Worster Sauce,
Robinson's Oatmeal—In 25 lb tins,
Knight & Son's London Soap,
Price's Belmont Candles, &c., &c.

FOR SALE BY

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AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr. Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong whose charges, I may also say, were reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.
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Dry Dock.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ESQUIMALT GRAVING DOCK.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLumbia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock at the Naval Station Esquimalt Harbor, under the guarantee provided in Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work at the rate of five per cent per annum, on such sums not exceeding £100,000 sterling as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock to be of Masonry, and of not less than the following dimensions:—

Length on floor 370 feet,
Do over all 400 feet,
Width between copings 90 feet,
Do on floor.....45 feet,
Do of entrance.....63 feet.

To afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 26½ feet at high water springs, and to be substantial constructed to the approval of Government, upon a site to be provided by the person whose tenders may be accepted.

Further particulars as to plans, site, borings, &c, may be obtained from T. A. BURLEY, Esq., Chief Engineer to Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and may be accompanied by drawings and descriptions, showing exact dimensions, materials and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his office before noon on the 15th day of November, 1872.

Persons who may consider the above guarantee to be insufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government or upon such other financial inducements as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Bond from the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfilment of the Tender which it accompanies provided it be accepted within three months from the said 15th of November.

By Command.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office.
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap27

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS BY A NOTICE, UNDER DATE of 27th April, 1872, and signed by GEO. A. WALKEM, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby extended until noon of the 31st December next.

By Command, B. W. PEARSE,
Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Depart't,
Victoria, 19th Sept., 1872. se22

Dentistry.

MILLS BOWDEN,

DENTIST,

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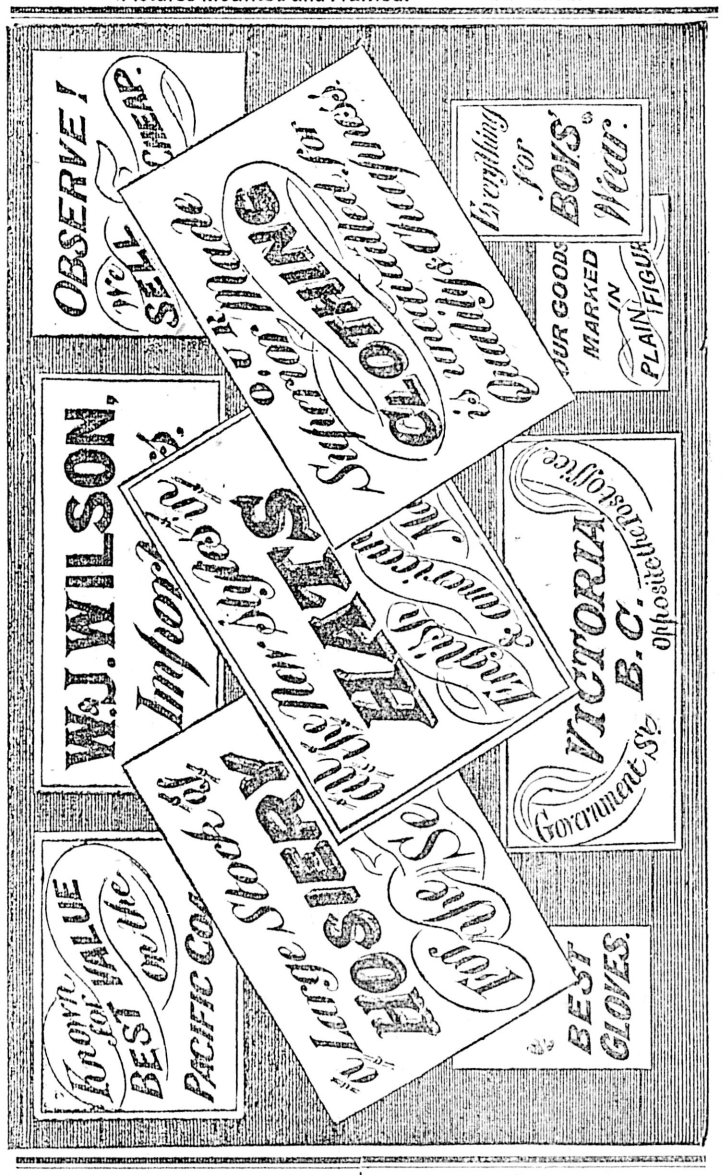

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Legislative.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in the ensuing session for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of making and maintaining a Railway, with all proper, necessary or convenient stations, approaches, bridges, viaducts, embankments, roads, communications and other works, commencing in or near the City of Victoria and terminating at or near Esquimalt Harbor.

And to enable the Company to make such deviations, and to stop up, alter, cross and divert roads, footpaths, streams, watercourses and works between the aforesaid places; to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, lands, houses and other property; to levy tolls for, or in respect of, the use of the Railway or Works, and to alter existing tolls.

The bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845; The Companies Clauses Act, 1863; The Companies Clauses Act, 1869; The Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863; The Vancouver Island Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863.

Plans and sections showing the Railway and Road and the lands or houses in and through which they may be made, with a book of reference to such plans and a copy of this notice, as published in the Gazette, will, on or before the 30th Day of November next, be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Bench of Victoria and the Surveyor-General of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the Railway will be made, or in which any lands or houses proposed to be taken are situate, and a copy of this notice as so published will, on or before the same day, be lodged at the School-houses of the respective Districts.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
oc27 Solicitors for Promoters.

In the Legislative Assembly.

Session 1872, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Legislative Assembly during the session next ensuing the date of this notice, for leave to bring in a Bill to enable Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., the owners of the Wellington colliery, situated near Departure Bay, on the East coast of Vancouver Island, to acquire a strip of land sixty-six feet wide and extending from their mine to tee shore of Departure Bay aforesaid, for the purpose of building a Railway or Tramroad thereon, for the conveyance of coal from the mine to the place of shipment. It is also proposed that the said Bill shall enable the said Messrs, Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. to acquire a block of land containing five acres at the shore terminus of the said strip of land, for the erection of coal sheds, etc., for the purposes of the business of the said mine.

A diagram of the proposed Railway or Tramroad will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th November instant, with the Clerk of the Bench at Nanaimo, together with a copy of the British Columbian "Gazette" containing this notice.

EDWIN JOHNSON.
Solicitor for Messrs. Dunsmuir Diggle & Co.
12th November, 1872. no20

In the Legislative Assembly.

SESSION 1872-1873.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly, during the next ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill for the purpose of enabling the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Beaver Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for such purpose; and to cross, break open, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, bridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and water courses; and to purchase by compulsion or otherwise any lands, houses and other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid.

And for the purpose of enabling the said Corporation to raise money by issuing debentures and levying rates, for the payment of the principal sum, interest thereon and Sinking Fund, and of obtaining from the Provincial Government a guarantee at the rate not exceeding an amount to be therein stated on all monies to be expended in the construction of works therein referred to, or otherwise for the purpose of the Bill, as also for the purpose of levying tolls and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of water supplied and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto, as also to raise money by borrowing on mortgage.

The Bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863, and all or some of the clauses of the Public Works Act, 1872.

The plans and sections may now be seen at the Land Office, James' Bay.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed Works, and the Lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans, and also a copy of this notice as published in the British Columbian Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th of November instant with the Clerk of the Bench, Victoria; and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and also a copy of this notice as published in the 'Gazette' will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, at the Public School House in each District.

Dated the 9th Day of November, 1872.

HENRY CLASSON COURTNEY,
Solicitor for the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, for the purpose of the undertaking, Langley street, Victoria. no12

In the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SESSION, 1872, 1873.

City of Victoria, Water.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a bill to incorporate a Company to be called the City of Victoria Waterworks Company, and to enable the Company to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all the necessary works for such purpose, and to cross, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets public places, ridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and watercourses; and to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, any lands or other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid. Also, to raise further sums of money, and to increase their capital by the creation of shares or stock, with or without preference, priority, or guarantee on payment of interest or dividend, or with other special rights and privileges, and by borrowing on mortgage or debenture, or by all or any of such means, and to enable the Company to levy toils, rates and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of the water supplied, and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto.

The Bill will vary and extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would interfere with its objects, and will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans; and also a copy of this notice as published in the B. C. Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, with the Clerk of the Bench in the City of Victoria, at his office at Bastion street, in the said City, and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and a book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the said 30th day of November, at the public school-houses in and for each district. DRAKE & JACKSON,
no17 Solicitors for Promoters.

FRAUD.

On the 27th June, 1866, MOTLEWALLAH, a Printer was convicted at the Supreme Court, Calcutta, of counterfeiting the

LABELS

of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL, London, and was sentenced by Mr. Justice Phear to

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bearing Labels in imitation of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S, SHAIK BACHOO was sentenced, by the Suburban Magistrate at Sealdah, to

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